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Applicant : MARTIN EHLERT ET AL.  
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Title : METHOD AND CONFIGURATION FOR GENERATING A CLOCK  
PULSE IN A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM HAVING A  
NUMBER OF DATA CHANNELS



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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

U.S. Patent No. 5,317,288 (Yung et al.), dated May 31, 1994;

U.S. Patent No. 5,614,855 (Lee et al.), dated March 25, 1997;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Patent Application 198 34 416 A1 (Miyano), dated February 4, 1999, pertains to a clock signal generator;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Patent Application 198 30 571 A1 (Buck), dated January 13, 2000, pertains to an integrated circuit;

Published European Patent Application No. 0 349 715 A2 (Rein), dated January 10, 1990, pertains to a method and circuit arrangement to produce a out-of-phase clock signal;

Lee, Thomas H. et al.: "A 2.5 V CMOS Delay-Locked Loop for an 18 Mbit, 500 Megabyte/s DRAM", IEEE, Vol. 29, No. 12, December 1994, pp. 1491-1496 and

Kim, C. et al.: "A 640 MB/s Bi-Directional Data Strobed, Double-Data-Rate SDRAM with a 40 mW DLL Circuit for a 256 MB Memory System", IEEE, February 6, 1998;

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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